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MONTGOMERY et al.

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Enclosed herewith for the above-captioned patent application is an Amendment and Response to Office Action mailed July 24, 2003, including the following:

- 1. Amendment Transmittal;
- 2. Transmittal for Proprietary Documents;
- Envelope containing proprietary documents, including Response to 3. July 24, 2003 Office Action;
- 4. Information Disclosure Statement;
- Form PTO/SB/08A and citing 25 references; 5.
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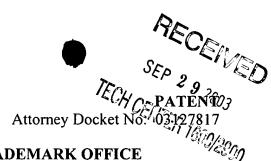
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Dear Sir:

The materials in the attached sealed envelope, including a Response to Office Action of July 24, 2003, are considered proprietary, and are being submitted for consideration under MPEP § 724.

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